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AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Hajime IMAZEKI

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For : TRANSMISSION STATE INDICATING
SYSTEM INDICATING POINTER VALUES
FOR EVALUATING TRANSMISSION STATE
OF COMMUNICATION NETWORK HAVING A
PLURALITY...

Art Unit : 2616

Examiner : WANDA Z. RUSSELL

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents
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S I R :

This Amendment is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 19, 2008, the term for response to which expires on June 19, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1, 4-6, 8, 11-13, 15 and 17-19 are amended; and claims 2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 14, 16 and 20 are maintained.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.

This paper is being submitted via EFS-Web on June 19, 2008

In the event that this Paper is late filed, and the necessary petition for extension of time is not filed concurrently herewith, please consider this as a Petition for the requisite extension of time, and to the extent not already paid, authorization to charge the extension fee to Account No. 06-1378. In addition, authorization is hereby given to charge any fees for which payment has not been submitted, or to credit any overpayments, to Account No. 06-1378.